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Applicants: Hirokazu SO et al. Art Unit: 2189
Application No.: 10/576,422 Examiner: Bernard, D.
Title: RECORDING MEDIUM, DATA PROCESSING APPARATUS, AND DATA
PROCESSING METHOD
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

AND

NOTIFICATION OF FILING OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Appeal filed January 18, 2011,
applicants hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
(USPTO) about the concurrently filed Request for Continued
Examination (RCE).

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 and 1.136(a), applicants hereby
petition for an extension of time for three (3) months to June
20, 2011 (June 18, 2011, being a Saturday and June 19, 2011,
being a Sunday), thereby maintaining copendency to file an RCE.

Transmittal Letter and Petition for Extension of
Time and Notification of Filing of Request for
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Applicants hereby submit that a fee of \$1,110.00 for the three month extension of time fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 and 1.136(a) is required.

The \$1,110.00 fee for the extension of time and the \$810.00 fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) for filing the RCE are authorized to be paid as stated in the accompanying RCE Transmittal Letter.

If any other fees are required to maintain this application in pending status for the purpose of filing the RCE, the USPTO is authorized to charge these amounts to our Deposit Account No. 19-2586, referencing Attorney Docket No. 0074/071001.

Respectfully submitted,



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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Sir:

This is a request for filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of pending prior application Serial No. 10/576,422 filed on February 5, 2007. The present application data includes:

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Please enter and consider the enclosed Preliminary Amendment. A petition for a three (3) month extension of time is filed concurrently herewith to maintain copendency.

The required fees are calculated below:

RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e)	\$810.00
Three Month Extension of Time Fee	<u>\$1,110.00</u>
TOTAL FEE DUE:	<u>\$1,920.00</u>

The \$1,920.00 fee for filing this application is currently due. Please charge this fee to the Credit Card number listed in the EFS Registered Credit Card screen, referencing Attorney Docket No. 0074/071001. It is believed that this fee covers all of the required fees for filing this application, however, if any additional fees are required, please charge these required fees to Deposit Account No. 19-2586, referencing Attorney Docket No. 0074/071001.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal
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If any additional fee is required, or if it appears that a telephone conference would help to advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned at 202-530-5900.

Please continue to recognize the following address at the corresponding address: **Customer Number 22893.**

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